



**Ultimate 6-Day Vietnam Experience:
Hanoi, Sapa & Ha Long Bay**

Days

5
Nights

Overview

✨ Discover the heart of Northern Vietnam on this unforgettable 6-day, 5-night journey with ViettrendTour. Begin with a deep dive into Hanoi's rich culture, from ancient temples to historic museums. Trek through the breathtaking terraced valleys of Sapa, meet local hill tribes, and stand atop Fansipan — the Roof of Indochina. Cruise across the emerald waters of Ha Long Bay, explore magical caves, kayak through serene lagoons, and savor a spectacular sunset party onboard. Perfect for cultural seekers, families, and adventurous souls, this tailor-made itinerary promises a seamless blend of history, nature, and authentic Vietnamese experiences.



Highlights

- ✔ ✈ Explore Hanoi's Rich Culture: Visit Tran Quoc Pagoda, the Ho Chi Minh Complex, Temple of Literature, and Hoa Lo Prison on a full-day city tour.
- ✔ 🏞 Trek Through Sapa's Iconic Landscapes: Soft trekking to Cat Cat Village and deep trekking across Y Linh Ho, Lao Chai, and Ta Van, home to the Black Hmong and Dzay ethnic groups.
- ✔ 🏔 Reach the Roof of Indochina: Optional cable car ride and trekking to conquer Fansipan Peak, the highest mountain in Indochina.
- ✔ 🚤 Cruise the Legendary Ha Long Bay: Full-day luxury cruise with buffet lunch, Surprising Cave exploration, kayaking at Luon Cave, and panoramic views from Titop Island.
- ✔ 🍷 Sunset Party on the Bay: Enjoy a relaxing sunset with complimentary wine, tea, and tropical fruits as Ha Long's limestone islands glow in golden light.
- ✔ 🚲 Authentic Local Experiences: Cycle through traditional villages, meet friendly ethnic communities, and taste authentic Vietnamese cuisine throughout the journey.
- ✔ 🌿 Small-Group Comfort & Tailor-Made Travel: Personal attention, thoughtful guides, and boutique accommodations ensure a relaxed and enriching travel experience.

Itinerary

Day
1:

Welcome to Hanoi – Arrival & Leisure

The moment you touch down in Hanoi, the rhythm of Vietnam greets you with a warm embrace. From the airport to the lively Old Quarter, the city's charm starts to unfold. As motorbikes buzz past French colonial facades, you're free to wander the maze of streets lined with steaming street food, silk shops, and age-old temples—or simply relax in your cozy hotel room and recharge for the days ahead.

 **Schedule:**

 Airport pickup and transfer to your hotel

 Free time to explore or relax

 **Overnight in:** Hanoi Old Quarter

 **Included:** Airport Transfer Service



Day 2:

Hanoi City Highlights Tour

Step into Hanoi's timeless soul. Today is a deep dive into the cultural heart of Vietnam, a place where each pagoda and monument whispers stories of emperors, revolutions, and resilient communities. From the tranquil West Lake and the revered Ho Chi Minh Complex to the intellectual air of the Temple of Literature, the journey connects you to both ancient and modern Vietnam. At every stop, you'll feel the pride and spirit of the people who shaped this city.

Schedule:

-  08:00–08:30 – Hotel pickup
-  08:45 – Admire the serenity of Tran Quoc Pagoda on Golden Fish Island
-  09:30 – Walk through the Ho Chi Minh Complex and visit his stilt house
-  11:15 – Dive into Vietnam's ethnic diversity at the Ethnology or Women's Museum
-  12:45 – Enjoy a traditional 8-dish Vietnamese lunch
-  14:00 – Discover Vietnam's first university, the Temple of Literature
-  15:15 – Reflect on history at Hoa Lo Prison, once known as the "Hanoi Hilton"
-  16:30 – Return to your hotel

Overnight in: Hanoi Old Quarter

 Included: Lunch, Transportation, Entrance Fees, English-Speaking Guide

 *Note: Ho Chi Minh Mausoleum closed on Mon/Fri or 15 Jun–15 Aug

Day 3:

Into the Mountains – Sapa & Cat Cat Village Trek

Let the highlands welcome you with cool mist and smiling faces. Journeying to Sapa, you'll pass lush rice terraces and mist-covered peaks—scenes pulled from postcards. Upon arrival, breathe in the fresh mountain air and trek down winding trails into Cat Cat Village. Along the way, Black Hmong villagers share their customs and crafts, while waterfalls tumble past remnants of French colonial heritage. It's a day of connection—between nature, culture, and yourself.

Schedule:

-  06:30–07:00 – Depart Hanoi to Sapa via highway
-  Scenic rest stop for photos
-  13:00 – Arrive in Sapa, receive a warm welcome & local lunch
-  14:30 – Trek to Cat Cat Village (3.5 km / 2 hours)
-  Visit a historic waterfall & French-built hydro station
-  Return to Sapa Town

 Overnight in: Sapa Town (3-star hotel)

 Included: Lunch, Transportation, Trekking Guide, Entrance Fees

Day 4:

Fansipan Peak (Optional) – Return to Hanoi

Greet the morning in Vietnam's rooftop region. You may choose to ride the world-class cable car up Fansipan Mountain, then ascend 600 steps to touch the heavens at the summit. Along the path, prayer flags flutter and pagodas offer spiritual serenity. In the afternoon, we say goodbye to the northern mountains, carrying memories of crisp air, colorful markets, and hill tribe smiles back to Hanoi.

Schedule:

-  Free morning for Fansipan visit (optional & self-arranged)
-  Explore the summit views and temple sites (1.5 hrs)
-  14:00 – Depart Sapa
-  Scenic return drive
-  20:30 – Arrive in Hanoi

 Overnight in: Hanoi Old Quarter

 Included: Breakfast, Transportation

Day 5:

Cruising the World Wonder – Halong Bay

Today you sail into legend. Halong Bay's towering limestone pillars and emerald waters create a surreal seascape. As your boat glides past Dog Rock and Thumb Island, the salty breeze and gentle waves invite calm. Enter the magical Sung Sot Cave and marvel at its ancient formations. Paddle through Luon Cave or drift under karsts on a bamboo boat. Finally, climb Titop Island for panoramic views before toasting to the sunset with tea and wine. Pure magic.

Schedule:

-  08:15–09:00 – Pickup from Hanoi hotel
-  10:30 – Rest stop
-  11:45 – Arrive at Tuan Chau Marina and board cruise
-  12:00 – Seafood buffet lunch onboard
-  13:30 – Explore Sung Sot Cave (200 steps)
-  14:30 – Kayaking or bamboo boat at Luon Cave
-  15:30 – Hike or swim at Titop Island
-  16:30 – Sunset party on deck
-  17:30 – Return to Hanoi
-  20:30 – Drop-off at hotel

Overnight in: Hanoi Old Quarter

 Included: Cruise, Buffet Lunch, Kayaking/Rowboat, Entrance Fees, Guide, Transfers

Day 6:

Hanoi Departure – Until We Meet Again

As dawn breaks over the rooftops of Hanoi, enjoy your final sips of Vietnamese coffee and pack your memories beside your luggage. Our driver will ensure you reach the airport with ease, closing this beautiful chapter of discovery across northern Vietnam.

Schedule:

-  Breakfast
-  Airport transfer

 Included: Breakfast, Airport Transfer

What's Included

- ✓ Private airport transfers (arrival and departure)
- ✓ Transportation by air-conditioned bus for all tours and transfers
- ✓ Boutique accommodation in Hanoi and Sapa (twin/double sharing)
- ✓ Meals as specified in the itinerary (5 breakfasts, 3 lunches)
- ✓ Hanoi full-day city tour with English-speaking guide
- ✓ Guided trekking tours in Sapa (Cat Cat Village, Y Linh Ho, Lao Chai, Ta Van)
- ✓ Entrance fees and sightseeing tickets as per itinerary
- ✓ Ha Long Bay full-day luxury cruise with buffet lunch
- ✓ Kayaking or bamboo boat ride in Ha Long Bay
- ✓ Sunset Party on the cruise with wine, tea, fruits, and cakes
- ✓ All entrance and sightseeing fees at indicated sites
- ✓ Local English-speaking guide throughout tours
- ✓ Complimentary bottled water during tours
- ✓ 24/7 customer support via WhatsApp/Viber: +84949765688

What's Not Included

-  **International and domestic airfare**
-  **Vietnam visa fee (if applicable)**
-  **Personal expenses (laundry, telephone, shopping, etc.)**
-  **Beverages and meals not mentioned in the itinerary**
-  **Tips for guides and drivers (optional but appreciated)**
-  **Cable car tickets to Fansipan Peak (optional activity)**
-  **Travel insurance (highly recommended)**
-  **Optional tours and activities not listed in the itinerary**

FAQs

  **What does the 6-day Hanoi – Sapa – Ha Long Bay tour include?**

The package covers airport transfers, transportation, accommodations, entrance fees, meals per itinerary, guided city tours, Sapa trekking, Fansipan visit, and Ha Long Bay cruising with kayaking.

  **Is the Sapa trekking and Fansipan hike suitable for beginners?**

Yes! Cat Cat Village trek is easy, and Fansipan has a cable car option. Families and first-time trekkers can comfortably join.

  **What activities are included in the Ha Long Bay day trip?**

Cruise past limestone karsts, explore Surprising Cave, kayak at Luon Cave, visit Titop Island, and enjoy a sunset party onboard.

  **What should I pack for the Sapa trek and Ha Long Bay cruise?**

Comfortable shoes, lightweight clothes, sunscreen, a hat, a jacket, swimwear, and a camera for stunning views.

  **Can I upgrade hotels or customize this tour?**

Absolutely! ViettrendTour offers tailor-made upgrades and customization options to suit your comfort and style.

  **Is this trip family-friendly?**

Yes! The mix of soft trekking, cultural tours, and fun activities like kayaking makes it ideal for families traveling together.



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